

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-11

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SS-15 NSCE-00 SSO-00 CPR-02 /029 W  
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O 080338Z JUN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2081  
INFO AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU IMMEDIATE

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KATHMANDU FOR AMBASSADOR HECK

E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: PDIP, IN  
SUBJECT: MEHTA, RAMA

REF: NEW DELHI 8838

1. I REGRET TO REPORT THAT RAMA MEHTA DIED 2120 HOURS  
JUNE 7. POLITICAL COUNSELOR AND I WILL PAY OUR RESPECTS  
AT MEHTA RESIDENCE THIS MORNING, PRIOR TO START OF FUNERAL  
PROCESSION TO NIGHAMDOH GHAT. WE WILL CONVEY  
SINCERE CONDOLENCES FROM AMBASSADORS GOHEEN, LAISE, AND  
HECK AND FROM NEA OFFICERS.

2. SINCE RAMA MEHTA SERVED AS LADY-IN-WAITING TO  
MRS. CARTER DURING PRESIDENT'S VISIT, WE BELIEVE A  
MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCE FROM MRS. CARTER TO JAGAT METHA  
WOULD BE APPROPRIATE AND APPRECIATED.  
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## Message Attributes

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